(c) if so, what steps Government propose to take to prevent such a happening ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URABAN DEVELOPMENT WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI P. K. THUNGON) : (a) As reported by Delhi Water Supply & Sewage Disposal Undertaking water logging of some of the roads in Delhi occures during the monsoon season when there is heavy downpour.

(b) and (c) No such case has come to the notice of D.W.S. & S.D.U., New Delhi Municipal Committee, DDA and Delhi Cantonment Board.

Procedure of conversion of properties from leasehold to freehold

794. SHRI SATISH PRADHAN : Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether the procedure adopted by Government for conversion of properties from leasehold to freehold in the Union Territory of Delhi requires a time of 90 days from receipt of applications in the banks ; and

(b) if so, the total percentage of cases in which the Delhi Development Authority and Land & Development Office have complied with the limit of 90 days ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI P. K. THUNGON) : (a) The orders of Government announcing the scheme of conversion of leasehold into freehold system stipulated that action for such conversion would be completed by the lease administering agencies within a period of 3 months from the date formalities prescribed in the orders are compiled with including payment of full amount of conversion charges, interest in case of instalment payments and ground rent till date.

(b) As per information furnished by DDA and L & DO the percentage of applications finalised within 90 days of receipt of application for conversion is one percent and three percent respectively.

Civic amenities for resettlement colonies

795. SHRIMATI KAMLA SINHA : Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the resettlement colonies of East Delhi ; particularly Kalyanpuri and Trilokpuri lack the basic civic amenity of potable drinking water ;

(b) whether it is also a fact that drains in these areas are not cleaned for months together leading to unhealthy living conditions ; and

(c) if so, the details of the steps Government proposed to take to provide basic civic amenities particularly potable water and cleaning of drains to these areas ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI P. K. THUNGON) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) As reported by Municipal Corporation of Delhi regular cleaning of sullage drains